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- O. Those the program, helping you get used to it, works. 1
- Good luck with that, 2
- How are you doing in school? 3
- 4 A. Good.
- 5 What kinds of grades are you getting?
- A. As and Bs. 6
- O. What's your favorite class? 7
- 8 A. Spanish.
- 9 O. All right. What class do you hate, if you hate one?
- 10 A. Math.
- O. You hate math? 11
- A. Yes. 12
- 13 Q. Can you still do it, though?
- A. Yes. 14
- Q. All right. Now, you heard me ask a whole lot of 15 questions of your brother about what happened. 16
- A. Yeah. 17
- O. I want to ask you questions about what happened, but I 18
- want to tell you why, because I already know what your 19
- mom said and what your brother said. I want to know 20
- what you saw. You see what I'm saying? I don't want 21
- 22 to know what your brother told you happened to him. I
- don't want to know what your mom told you happened to 23
- her. I only want to know what you saw, what you 24
- remember seeing with your own eyes and hearing with 25

- Q. Okay. There were four guys?
- A. Uh-huh.
- 3 O. Yes?
- A. Yes.
- O. Were all four of them white? 5
- A. Lonly think one of them was black, and he was
- 7 standing in the corner.
- Q. Three white and one black, with the black guy in the 8 9
  - corner?
- A. Yes. 10
- Q. Okay: Like, in the stairs, by the door? 11
- A. Yeah. 12

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- Q. All right. Then what did -- what did -- what happened 13
  - next, after they came in?
- A. Well, my mom stopped cooking and jumped in the way and 15
- came between the guy and my brother, and they kept 16
- trying to push her out the way and get to my brother 17
- and kept saying, "Shut up. We just want the boy." 18
- And then that's when I seen them hit my brother with 19
- 20 the flashlight. And then I just walked away and just
  - went in my room, trying to figure out what was going
- 22
- Q. That was scary, wasn't it? 23
- 24 A. Yes.
- O. Did you walk or did you run?

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- your own ears. 1
- Do you understand what I'm saying? 2
- 3 A. Yes.
- O. We call that personal knowledge as lawyers. Okay? 4
- 5 A. Okay.
- O. Because that's what's important to me is what you saw. 6
- 7 Okay? And find out what happened to you. Okay?
- 8 A. Okav.
- Q. So you were in the house, I assume? 9
- A. Yes. 10
- Q. Where were you? 11
- A. I was just walking out the bathroom and going into the 12
- kitchen, and my brother came in the house. 13
- Q. So you saw him run in the house? 14
- A. Yes. 15
- O. How did his face look to you? 16
- A. Terrified. 17
- O. Yeah. Then what happened? 18
- A. And then a couple of seconds later, I seen four guys 19
- come into the house. 20
- O. Okay. What did you do? 21
- A. I was just nervous, standing there, trying to figure 22
- out what was going on. 23
- Q. So you -- you stood there and watched what happened? 24
- 25 A. Yes.

- A. Walk. And then I went back in, and I seen my brother 2 on the ground.
- Q. Was he on the ground in the kitchen? 3
- A. Yes. Well, he was in between the stairs in the 4
  - kitchen.
- Q. Okay. 6

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- A. And a guy put a gun to his head and said, "Don't 7
  - move." And then I just walked away. And my little
- brother came down the stairs to go to the bathroom, so 9
  - I just went with him.
- Q. Did you go in the bathroom with him? 11
- 12 A. Yeah.
- Q. Okay. 13
- A. And then when I came back out, they wasn't in the 14
  - house, but I just heard, like, fighting outside, like
- 16 they was trying to get out of the way and stuff. And
- then I just took my little brother, when he was done 17
  - in the bathroom, and took him to my brother's room,
- 18 because that's the farthest room from the kitchen, and 19
- I just put him in there and closed the door and turned 20
- 21 the TV on.
- Q. And then what happened? 22
- A. And then I just -- since my room is right next to the 23
- backyard, I just looked out the window, and I seen my 24
- 25 mom on the ground, fighting with this other guy, and

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- then my brother was sitting up, like, handcuffed.
- 2 Q. Was your mom handcuffed at that point, or no?
- 3 A. No.
- 4 Q. And then what happened?
- 5 A. And then I seen a guy punch my mom right in her jaw,
- 6 and then he handcuffed her and pepper-sprayed her.
- 7 O. What hand did he use to hit her in the jaw?
- 8 A. Right.
- 9 O. His right hand?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. And where on his -- where on your mom's face did he
- 12 strike?
- 13 A. Over here.
- 14 Q. On the right side?
- 15 A. Yes,
- 16 O. Like there?
- 17 A. Uh-huh.
- 18 Q. Okay. And then what happened?
- 19 A. And then I guess I went back in my room with my little
- 20 brother. And then I walked back out and I heard my
- 21 mom holler, "Call the police." And someone told her
- 22 that "We are the police," like in a chuckling way.
- 23 And then I went anyways, and there was a black lady on
- the phone, and she said they was on their way and kept
- 25 telling me to calm down. And then my mom told me to

- J. O. And then what happened?
  - 2 A. And then they asked if we was okay before they went
  - 3 outside.
  - 4 Q. Meaning you and your brother, your little brother?
  - 5 A. Yes.
  - 6 O. What did you tell him?
  - A. Yes.
  - 8 Q. Okay. And then what happened?
  - 9 A. And then I didn't really know what happened, because
  - they was outside and I was still in the house, just
  - 11 nervous, pacing around.
  - 12 Q. Yeah.

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- 13 A. And it was around 9 o'clock. So, then, like, 20
  - minutes later, they came in the house, my mom and my
- older brother, and my mom was crying and my older
- 16 brother was just nervous.
- 17 Q. And then what happened?
- 18 A. And then we didn't eat. We just left right out and went to the hospital.
- 20 Q. Did you -- go on.
- 21 A. And then we wasn't sure to go outside, because my
- 22 older brother said it might be a trap; they might be
- still outside. So we really wasn't sure.
- 24 Q. Was this before you went to the hospital?
- 25 A. Uh-huh.

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- call my grandma and my grandpa, and, so I did, but
- both of them, they didn't answer.
- Q. Okay. When your mom got hit, was she sitting on theground or standing up or lying down?
- 5 A. Lying down.
- 6 Q. Was she lying down on her back?
- 7 A. Yes.
- 8 O. So she was laying on her back with her face pointing
- 9 towards the sky?
- 10 A. Yes.
- 11 Q. Okay. After you called your grandma and grandpa and
- there was no answer, what did you do?
- 13 A. I just walked back to the kitchen to see if they was
- still outside or in the house. They was still
- outside, and I heard crying. So I really didn't know
- what happened, why she was crying, so --
- 17 Q. Your mom?
- 18 A. Yes.
- 19 Q. And then what happened?
- 20 A. And then they -- when the other police rang the
- doorbell, and I wasn't sure to answer the door,
- because I didn't really trust them, but I did, and
- they just walked through the house and went straight
- 24 to the back door, and I wished they went around the
- 25 house,

1 Q. Okay.

- A. And, so, we just hurried up and got in the car, and wejust left and went to the hospital.
- 4 Q. Had you seen any counselors or therapists or doctors?
- 5 A. Yes.
- 6 Q. Okay. Who have you seen?
- 7 A. Gayle.
- 8 Q. Gayle Powell ---
- 9 A. Uh-huh.
- 10 Q. -- you think?
- 11 A. Uh-huh.

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- MR. HUGHES: Yes?
- 13 BY MR. GOLDSTEIN:
- 14 Q. Is that a yes?
- 15 A. Yes.
- 16 Q. All right. What do you talk with Gayle Powell about?
- 17 A. Well, I talk with her about what happened, and it kind
- of helped me through this, and it keeps on going over
- and over again, because it, like, helped me out.
- 20 Q. How does it help you, do you know?
- 21 A. Because I'm not, like, holding my feelings inside of
  - me, and I'm just getting them out.
- 23 Q. Are you having anything like nightmares, like your
- 24 brother has had?
- 25 A. Yeah. Sometimes I'm having nightmares and flashbacks

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Page 16 Page 14 Q. All right. When they first came through the door, did for no reason. It just automatically comes. l they say anything about them being the police? Q. Does something trigger the flashback or nightmare, or 2 2 3 does it just happen by itself? 3 Q. Do you remember calling your mom? You said your mom 4 A. It just happens. 4 asked you to call 911. Right? 5 Q. Like how often? 5 A. I just had a flashback or a nightmare about -- last 6 6 Q. Okay. Do you remember calling more than once? 7 7 Q. Okay. Does it happen about, you know, once every 8 8 O. You just remember calling once? other month or once every month or every day? 9 0 A. Yes. 10 10 A. Once a month. Q. Okay. Do you remember what you told them? Q. Do you keep a diary or anything? 11 11 A. Yes. I told them that there was some guys that came 12 12 A. Yeah. to my house and took my mom and my older brother, and 13 O. Do you write about it in your diary? 13 I didn't know if they was police or not. 14 A. Sometimes. 14 MR. HUGHES: Okay. All right. All right. 15 O. And sometimes you don't? 15 I don't have any other questions. Thank you. 16 A. Uh-huh. MR. GOLDSTEIN: No questions. 17 17 O. Is that a yes? (The deposition was concluded at 2:42 p.m. 18 18 A. Yes. Signature of the witness was not requested by 19 19 O. What bothers you the most about what happened? counsel for the respective parties hereto.) 20 A. What bothers me the most is that I didn't know what 20 happened. They automatically came in the house, and 21 21 22 it was for no reason, because I know my older brother 22 23 didn't do anything wrong, so I really didn't know why. 23 24 They just came in the house, and I didn't even know 24 25 they was real police. 25 Page 17 Page 15 CERTIFICATE OF NOTARY MR. GOLDSTEIN: All right. I don't have 1 STATE OF MICHIGAN) any other questions. 2 3 ) SS **EXAMINATION** 3 COUNTY OF OAKLAND) 4 BY MR. HUGHES: 4 Q. Do you remember how the -- when the first people who 5 5 I, CRYSTAL HETTENHOUSE, a Notary Public in 6 came to the back door, how they were dressed? 6 and for the above county and state, do hereby A. Yeah. They had white T-shirts and Army pants. 7 7 certify that the above deposition was taken before Q. Did you see anything on their shirt or on their pants 8 8 me at the time and place hereinbefore set forth; 9 that said "police"? 0 that the witness was by me first duly sworn to 10 A. No. 10 testify to the truth, and nothing but the truth; 11 O. How long of a time did you have to -- and I know you 11 that the foregoing questions asked and answers made weren't looking at your clock or your watch, but about 12 12 by the witness were duly recorded by me how long do you think you were able to see the police 13 13 stenographically and reduced to computer 14 officers who were at the back door? 14 transcription; that this is a true, full and correct A. Probably about 15 minutes. Fifteen. 15 15 transcript of my stenographic notes so taken; and 16 O. About 15 minutes? 16 that I am not related to, nor of counsel to either 17 A. Uh-huh. 17 party nor interested in the event of this cause. 18 Q. I'm talking about when you first saw them, where 18 they're coming through the door. 19 19 20 A. Yeah. It was about 15 -- 15 minutes. 20 21 O. Before the whole thing was all over? 21 CRYSTAL HETTENHOUSE, CSR-5360 A. No. It was about an hour for about the whole thing. 22 22 Notary Public, O. Okay. All right. But you didn't see anything that 23 23 24 Oakland County, Michigan said "police." Right? 24 My Commission expires: November 12, 2014 25 A. Yes, I didn't see anything that said police. 25

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INCIDENT - 3355 CIVIL MATTER

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PON

RECEIVER:

00601

ORGIN:

911

-CAL-

-RCV-

-DIS-

-ARV-

-CLR-

DISPATCHER: 00668

BADGES: 00499 00311

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UNITS SENT: 23

PO03

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BEAT: AREA:

PT3

SECTOR: PO03

COMPLAIN: G BOMAR

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154 N GENESEE

ACTIVITY:

Unit ld	DISPATCH	ENR	ARRIVED	CLEAR	ARV Hosp.	ENR Hosp.	ENR Other	ARV Other		Officer 1	Officer 2
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21:20:06 10 Y/O FEMALE SAYS SOME PEOPLE JUST CAME IN AND TOOK COMPT MOM AND BY: 00601 21:20:06 BROTHER/ THEY HIT HER BROTHER IN THE HEAD BY: 00601 21:21:31 THE 10 Y/O SAYS THE PEOPLE SAYS THEY R THE POLICE BY: 00601

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